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CC: Skogland, Blake D. - OSHA [Skogland.Blake@dol.gov]; Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)
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Subject: RE: Happy New Year!

Mr. Kearns,

Thank you for the referral and for the kind words about our Boise agents Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) has always been a real go-getter and someone who we can rely on to represent EPA-CID well. I have forwarded the information you provided to two of my case-carrying agents in Seattle who will review the allegations and determine our next steps. They will likely reach out to Mr. Skogland in the coming days for additional information.

Thank you again for thinking of us and have a great new year!

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I've worked often through the years with [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] and [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] different co-workers here in Idaho. [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] has been a great resource and we've had some nice successes holding some accountable. The Idaho USAO and the ENRD folks have been great, too.

Years back we did an inspection related to hazardous airborne lead exposures for a small local railroad. We shared our information and data with [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] (and I think [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] at the time).

I believe they were able to use a novel approach to address it under the Clean Air Act with charges against the foreman. [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] could certainly fill in the blanks better.

Ex. 7(E)

All of this information is second hand. If you are interested in more information, please reach out to the Area Director in Seattle, Blake Skogland (cc'd) at [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]

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I'm happy to chat with you as well. Let me know if there is anything else I can do to help.

Best,
Dave

From: [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]
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David,

Great to hear from you [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]
[Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]

I do think we are interested in this lead.

I have CC' d, our ASAC [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] on this email as [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] is in charge of work flow and is based in Seattle.

Would you mind emailing [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] the contact info for your colleague in WA? If you need to talk with [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] on the phone [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)] number is [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]

As always, we appreciate you sharing this type of information with us.

Let me know when we can grab coffee next to catch up in person. Thx - [Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]

[Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C)]

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Sent: Monday, January 3, 2022 11:57 AM

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Do you have a counterpart over there that might be interested with a supportive USAO? No pressure if it isn't the right thing at the right time.

Cheers,
Dave

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